

Tangier Island Reedville, Va. "The Chesapeake Breeze" Wednesday, September 18





Cost: \$68.00 per person

(price includes: transportation on small vans & lunch at the Miss Crocketts)

Depart center at 7:00pm; return approximately 6:00pm

PLEASE NOTE THIS TRIP WILL INCLUDE A LARGE AMOUNT OF WALKING, AND THE POSSIBILTY OF MOTION SICKNESS FOR SOME!

We will depart from the Senior Center at 7a.m., breakfast/snack is welcome on the van, and arrive in Buzzards Point Marina at 9:30 a.m. We will board our cruise, for a fun filled day on the Chesapeake Bay. Lunch will be a family style seafood dinner at the famous Chesapeake House. Walk around this quaint island, or take a tour on Golf carts. We will depart from Tangier Island at 2:15 p.m. to return to the Senior Center, For more information please contact us at 520-9220.

In 1608 Capt. John Smith sailed up the Chesapeake Bay and landed at a small island he named Tangier. For many years Tangier was the hunting and fishing grounds of the Pocomoke Indians, but in 1666 a Mr. West bought the island from the Indians for two overcoats. He sold part of it to John Crockett who settled there in 1686 with his family. The rich oyster and crab grounds surrounding the Island drew early settlers to this remote spot. Your cruise leaves from Historic Reedville, Va., the center of the largest fishing industry in the United States. The ship often passes fishing boats working their nets or large ocean freighters traveling between Baltimore and Norfolk, or points beyond.

